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HONGKONG, MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1894.

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& O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, April 26, 1894.

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62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, November 11, 1893.

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Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

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Palegraphic address: 1,400 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL TELEPHONE "Excelsion," Houghous, No. 35. NOTICE is hereby given that the LIQUIDATOR of the AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION), has SOLD this Horst to Mt JOHN D. HUMPHREYS, who took possession on the 16rn Issrant, and will Solely be Responsible for all DEBTS incurred by the Management of the Hotel from and after that date.

The Liquidation will Pay all DEBTS mourred during the Liquidation up to the 16th Instant, and will Collect all Ontstanding ACCOUNTS up to the same

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Hongkong, November 17, 1893.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. TAXAMINATIONS for ONE CLERK-SHIP and TWO INTERPRETER SHIPS in PERAR will be held by the BOARD of Examiners in the Council

Chamber, on THURSDAY, the 3rd May, at 10 a.m. Intending Candidates should apply to the HONOBARY SECRETARY to the Board. By Command.

G. T. M. O'BRIEN. Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 26th April, 1894

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS

BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT A upon Contributions for the Year 1893 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS will be issued on the 30rn Instant. JARDINE; MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hougkong, April 18, 1894.

Notices to Consignees.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Colong having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness of Cargo are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong. HONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 4th May, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd May.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 4th May will be subject to rent.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 o'clock a.m., To-DAY, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 28, 1894 SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. RADNORSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inof formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-RONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

Notice to the contrary be given before Noon No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th Proximo will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be OFFICESpresented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th Prox., or they will not be recognized.
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will be examined on the 5th Prox., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, April 28, 1894.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES,

STEAMSHIP OAKLEY,

FROM NEW YORK & SINGAPORE

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongrong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, at Kowlcon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m.

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FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Salatiga, Capt. E. CHEISTIANSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned, and to take mediate delivery of their Goods from

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Honokong & Kowicon Whark& Godown Co., Lb., and stored at Consigness' risk and expense.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. fille Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the lat day of May, 1894; at 2,30 p.m., his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

TAPESTRY with Pluse Covered DRAW-RO-ROOM SUITE VE CORE ENGLY EXALT MARBLE-TOP CENTRE and SIDM TABLES CANTON BLACKWOOD CURIO STAND. CHEFFORIER, PICTURES and ORNAMENTS. CABPET and HEARTH RUG.

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&c , &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE. —As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, April 28, 1894.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-WHAMPOA DOCK Co., Lito., to Sell by Public Auction, at their Office, No. 2, Zetland Street, on

THURSDAY NEXT, the 3rd May, at Noon, --THE WRECK OF THE STEAM-TUG have quick despatch;

PILOT FISH as she now lies outside TANTOO ISLAND. TERMS. - Wrock at Buyer's risk en. fal of the hammer. Cash payment in Bank Notes or Mexican Dollars, 7.1.7. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioncers.

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Hongkong, March 16, 1898. 124 60

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For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. - Ading Appair no Hongkong April 19 1894 NORTHERN PACIFIC STRAMBHIP

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Hougkong, February 4, 1893. 228 HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COBPORA-

TION. Rules may be obtained on application. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT: per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of-\$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIET OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Intimations.

OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of this Society will be held at the OFFICES of the Society, No. 4, Prays, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th May, 1894, at Noon, when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on the 28th April, 1894, will be automated for Confirma-

tion as a Special Resolution :-That the New Articles of Association "already: approved this this Meeting and for the purpose of identification Sampsorthed by the Okonomian thereof.

be and the same are hereby approved, and that such Articles be and they are hereby adopted as the Articles of Association of the Society to the "exclusion of all the existing Articles "or Regulations thereof." By Order of the Board,

Hougkong, April 28, 1894. 758

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the N ICE WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after the 3RD MAY.

By Order of the Board,

and American for N. J. BDE, as For Hongkong, April 21, 1894. PASSENGER NOTICE.

INROM the 1st May next, the RATE for FIRST-CLASS PASSAGES from Honorone to London by the following Lines will be £35 Sterling. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Gien' Line of Steamers. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Ocean Steamship Co. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Agents,
Ben Line of Steamers. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., 'Shire' Line of Steamers. Hongkong, April 25, 1894. NOTIOE. THE following will be the RATES of PASSAGE MONEY by the undermentioned Lines until further Notice :-

London

Marseilles ... H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. C. TOURNAIRE.

Acting Agent.

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Hongkong, April 26, 1894.

For further Particulars, apply to

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Behnke, Master and Miss Elliston, Mr and

Mrs Laughton and children, Mrs Coulthard

and children, Miss Ramsay, Miss Bastone,

Miss Grabham, Mr and Mrs James and

children, Mr and Mrs Cassels, Mr and Mrs

Lachlan, Messrs Rosenzweig, Behrens,

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Per Activ, from Pakhoi, 35 Chinese.

Per Glenavon, from Japan, &c., Mr and

Brocker, Erichsen and Whittie.

Mrs Steel, and 800 Chinese.

Streich, and 156 Chinese.

and 37 Chinese.

Wenchow and Bahan.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:

For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.— Per Hanoi, at 8.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the notified.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Berometer-Per Radnor shire, at 11.30 a.m., on Tussday, the let May. For SINGAPORE, SAMARANG & SOU RABAYA.— Per Hongay, at 8.30 p.m., on Tuesday, Weather

the Lat May. For NAGASARI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the let May, instead of as previously for MACAO, TIMOR, PORT DARWIN,

THURSDAY ISLAND.

TOWN, TOWNSVILLE. BRIS-BANE, BYDNEY & MELBOURNE. Per Guildie, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 1st May. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Hailoong, at 5 pm., on Tuesday, the let May.

Per Phra Ckom Klas, at 9.80 a.m., on Wednesday, the 2nd May. For SINGAPORE & NEW YORK .-Per Port Phillip, at 8.30 a.m., on Thurs-

On demand, ... 30 days' sight, private paper Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) **940** Boverelgns (Bank's buying ra. a) Silver (per oz.) 2914.

HONGKONG REGISTER. Hanoi, at 8.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the Provious On date at On date at Whiskies, Violet Capsule 1 lat May, instead of as previously daystap.m. 10 a.m. E Watson's Very Old Liqueur 30.01 Hamidity Direction of First Assistant.

Hongkong Observatory, April 30, 1894. Temperature. Honoxone, April 30, 1894 (Taken at Mosers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) BARONETER— 9 A.M. 80.01 Do. 1 A.M. 29.95 4 P.M. ... 29.84

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B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capaule, with Name and Trade Mark, ... 10.80 C Watson's Abelous-Glenlivet, D Watson's H K D Bland of the Finest Scotch Malt

Whiskies, Violet Capsule 14.40 Soutch Whisky, Gold Cap Bule comises and constitues some 15.00 Daniel Crawford's Finest Very Old Scotch Whisky 14.40

Our lowest priced Whisky is of excellent quality and of greater age than most brands in the market. We recommend our cueof price from trying them all. For a sode whisky, Thorne's Blend and Watson's Glenorchy are equal to any. Abelour-Glenlivet is a very old Peat Whisky, sould not be replaced in stock at the price. D and E are too well known to need com-

A John Jameson's Old Green B John Jameson's Fine Old, O John Jameson's Very Fins Old, Green Capaula 18.00 All-these are very fine and old. O been stocked in Hongkong in wood for years, there being little sale for Irish Whisky in the Colony.

2.30 p.m. -Auction of Sunder House hold Furniture, &c., at Mr J. M.

Bir George Otto Trevelyen's (Secretary Grand Committee for the control of Bestel affairs has passed the House of Commons

A prolonged shock was experienced year terday, and Theben is now reported to be

The Chinese Minister has come to an arrangement with Russia regarding the Pamire based on mutual concessions.

The United States troops cantured a

RACING STAKES

Blue Peter ... Time-2.431. ROADSTER'S PLATE-Blenghale . GRAND STAND STAND

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the Norwick Union.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The M. E. Oo,'s seemship Melbourne, with the Farrow Mirr of Soth March left Belgon on Saturday, April 28, on or about Tuesday, May 1. This This brings replies to letters does petobed from Houghong on Feb. 21. The P. M. T. A. Chind, with the AMERICAN MAIL of April 10, left Yokobiane on Beturday, April 28, at, 4 p.m. and tilly be expected here on or shot

Thursday, May 3. The N. P. s.s. Tucque, from Victoria, B.O. left Yokohama for Hongkong on the 24th April, via porta-

The O. & O. s. s. Belgie, with malis, &c. left San Francisco for this port, via Tokohama, on April 19. The O. P. R. L's. Empress of Japan lelt Vancouver for Hongkong on April 23

The N. P. s. Mogul left Victoria, B. C. on April 25th, for Japan and Hong-The P. M. a. S. Peru, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, win

Yokohame, on April 28. The D. D. R. E. Prick, from Hamhueg left Singapore for this port on April 29, and may be expected here

pore on April 28, and may be expected | was granted. here on or about May 4.

bay for this port on the 19th April. H.M.S. Seven left; this morning, Foothow and Nagataki.

Tan P. M. s. s. Peris, with the American Mail, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yekohama, on the 28th instant.

TER M. M. Co.'s steamer Melbourne, with the next French mail left Saigon on Saturday, 28th inst., at 2 p.m.

Tas O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Priam left Singapore on the 28th instant) and may be expected here on or about the 4th May.

For wasting water at a street hydrant mear the Canton Wharf, a coolie was fined \$10 at the Magistracy this morning.

THE D. D. R. ate. Priok, from Hamburg, left Singspore for this port yesterday, and may be expected here on or about" the 5th the fire was caused by a hanging kerosine

THE O. & O. a.s. Oceanic, which left hence April 4th fer San Francisco, via Nagasaki, Moke, Inland Sea and Yokohama, arrived at her destination on the 28th instant.

H.M.S. despetch ship Alacrity, carrying Admiral Bir E. Fromautle's flag, sails for Amoy, Shanghai and Yangtee ports toand not on Wednesday, as at

As the City Hall Museum has been closed for repairs since Thursday last, the visitors to the Museum for the week ending 29th April, mere: 75 Europeaus and 828

repairs that may be necessary, the Library will be closed on the 1st. 2nd, and 3rd of

Ar the Magistracy this morning, a coolie was sent to prison for three months for steeling 160 yards of telegraph wire on of wire was lost last year at the same place.

Ox Saturday, on board the Victor Emanuel, its first appearance was above the Lyemoon T. Sonden, A.B., H.M.S. Centurion, Was tried by Court Martial for disobedience of orders, and contenced to three mouths' imprisonment. The Court was constituted as follows :- Captain Anderson, Severn Algerety; and Lieut. Rawnaley, Victor Emanuel . Captain McQphae Centurien was prosecutor, the accused was represented by his friend, Mr J. Hastings (of Mi V. H. Descon's office), and the proceedings | noon by the German mail steamer Sachsen. were conducted by Mr H. W. Paul, Deputy A guard of honour from the Hongkong Judge Advocate.

which arrived from Banghok yesterday, I tional Authem, while a salute was fired reports that at 4.30 p.m. on the 26th April | from the Shore Battery. The Sachsen, the picked up two boots in charge of the | which carries a large number of passengers, first and second officers of the atenmer | left the wharf at Kowloon about three Propentie. They stated that their steamer, o'clook. bound from Java to Hongkong, thirteen days out, had put into Kam Ranh Bay, lat 11.50 N., long. 109.12 E., disabled throng part of the machinery breaking down. their request, the Cheufa put back into Kam Rank Bey, and, an hour later, suchored abreast of the Propontia. Day talu Farrand requested Captain Phillips & ake the damaged machinery—the sir primp -to Hongrong, and also the chief engineer and the compredere's staff. Captain Philline did so, having shood by the disabled ship for nearly two hours.

Tan championship of the Roya! Hongkong Tacht Club was decided yesterday, when a special race took place between the Dari (53rd Regiment) and the Payme first place in the ordinary Club races during or until further notice. the past scalin. There was a light; steady brance Il day. The Payne led over the Mr Griffith, who is on a tour of the world line, but the Ders drew away steadtly cech | Yokohama on the 17th April in time to tack. The Payne plaied up a little on the catch the Empress of China.

Quincey and Mr Barron.

years on the staff of the Hougkong Daily Press, and who left for home to-day on the committee for the purpose German Mail steamer Sachsen, was entertained at a farewell dinger last night by his date. confreres and friends. Mr Thomas, who was entrusted with the task of providing the creature comforts, quite excelled himself in getting up a good menu.

A MERTING of Justices of the Peace was wood to transfer his license for the Austin Arms Hotel to Miss Elizabeth Humphreys. Mr B. E. Wodehouse. Police Magistrate, presided, and there were -also present: Mesars Goo. Horspool, J. B. Coughtris, H. Wicking, G. T. Veitch, and Chan U Fai. The President stated that Mr J. D. Humphreys was security. There was no police The O. S. S. Co's A. s. Priam left Sings- objection to the transfer. The transfer

> eating house at 122 Queen's Road Central. The Fire Brigade turned out promptly under Superintendent Wodehouse and Deputy Superintendent Horapool. A supply of fresh waterwasturned on from the street hydrants, and later on a plentiful supply of water was pumped from the Harbour, only a sufficient quantity of fresh being turned on to keep up steam in the fire engines. The fire extended, in spite of all the efforts of the Brigade, to the adjacent house in Queen's domestic assessin with a stiletto, and Road, and also caught the house on the other side of Gutzlaff Street, occupied to the Pioneer. by A Nam, European tailors. In all six double houses were destroyed, entalling a total damage of nearly \$60,000. The contents of the house where the fire broke out were insured for \$8000 with Measus Reuter, Brocklemann and Co. It is said that lamp in the eating-house setting fire to a staircase. The master of the shop unfortunately had gone to Canton yesterday.

Inspector Hennessy and a party of police

kept order during the fire. A CORRESPONDENT Writes to us as follows ... Last night the bright star Canopus was chaerved to set in the South-west clear down to the edge of the horizon. The South-east. This phenomenon shows an unusual clearness of the atmosphere from South-east to South-west of Hengkong for three thousand miles at least, and when observed is generally followed by some weeks of fine and dry weather. The storm rains, now so much needed, always come examined with a view to effecting any year, but it would appear that these rains are postponed for some time to come. the present state of the water supply of the Colony and the signs of rain being now entirely absent, it behoves every one to take especial care that not a drop shall wasted. -- Another unusual meteorological phenomenon was observed in the twilight Telephone Company, stated that two miles at 7.30 p.m. on Friday last, when a large fireball passed over from East to West. As seen from the higher levels of Hongkong Pass and, making its flery way slowly over the Harbour, descended towards Lantao, where it disappeared. The meteor was pear-shaped; apparently double the size of Venus at its greatest brilliancy (President), Commanders Rogers, Archer; and the red and blue colours of the meteor. Warrender, Centusion; and De Liele, and its train of sparks were particularly resplendent.

His Excellency the Acting Governor, Hon. G. T. M. O'Brien, left for Europe this afterwhen His Excellency took his departure and THE steamer Chois Fa (Capt. Phillips), the band of the regiment played the N

> The following Government Gazette Extruordinary was published this afternoon :-It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, George Thomas Michael O'Brien, C.M.G., having left the Colony this day on leave of absence. His Excellency Major-General George Digby Barker, C.B., was thereafter tive Council, and assumed the administration of the Government.

the Government has been pleased to appoint James Haldane Stewart Lookhart to Acting Colonial Secretary, in addition

On the 21st inst. the Directors of the sersin, and may leading by short 2; min | Jelebu Mining and Trading Coy., Lid. nies at No. 1 Dock Buoy second time. approved the secounts for the last halfowing to being partially becalmed. Times for the littly ear (absorbing \$22,500); they the reserve fund; and they will propose carry forward a halance of about \$6,000

ship-which has been in progress at the N.-C. Daily News) that owing to the numerous disastrous fires that have visited counter current along the shore of the Con-Central Police Station for some time, has the flourishing may of the neighbouring cossion, so much so, indeed, that the Tatung, terminated in a victory for Inspector town of Shan, the gentry and notables of on her arrival, had to go slongside her hulk that place have decided upon organising a head down-river-quite on unusual sight at syndicate to supply water to the town on our port. MR R. Robertson, who was for the last four tion is nearly formed, and a committee will visit the proposed Hankow works upon getting the necessity achin pumps, etc., from Shanghai at an early the shareholders of this company was held

THE N. C. Daily News of Wednesday, 25th inst. says :- A telegram was ressived from Chelgo vesterday morning saking for assistance for the Nippon and stating that there were hopes of getting the versel off, and that Admiral Ting had sent a gunbout to protect her. The Yordanie Maru les here held this morning at the Magistracy to yesterday afternoon for the wreck, having consider an application from Mr R. Leher- on board Captain J. P. Roberts, Mr Booker, divers and wrecking gear supplied ! by Messus Boyd & Co., Ld. The Japanese connection with our Eastern business, man-of war Akagi is also leaving for the Nippon. Admiral Ting is to be complimented for his promptitude in scuding a vessel of his fleet to the wrenk.

Press man in Singapore (easys the writer of Resident of Perak flouted the press, sneered at the journalist, and made an after-dinner The P. & U. Oc. 1.1. Malacca left Bom. ABOUT two o'clock this morning the slarm purveyor and the malice of the leader. the reach of such banditti. irony of fate, that the pioneer newspaper of the Native States should be published under the autocratic nose and despotic moustache, and within a stone's throw of the official residence, of Mr F. A. Swetten-

There shall the press the people's rights maintain, Unasced by influence, &co.

Ere now he has probably exhausted his Vocabulary of Malay 'language' at the distressing news. His critics in the Colonisi press could reach him only with poor man. We wish him joy and success

CANTON.

THE EPIDEMIC IN THE CITY. A correspondent favours us with the following notes on the epidemic disease prevailing in the City of Canton, the mortality from which seems to have beef much exaggerated :- - - - -

week of March, when a few cases occurred in the poor neighbourhood near the South Gate of the city. In the first week of April and subsequently we have had an opportunity of examining a few cases, and note the following symptoms and course of the disease :-- A sudden onset of fever, ricing to 105 or bigher, headsche, thirst and brilliant double star Alpha-Centauri also stupor. In from 12 to 24 hours a glandurose last night clear on the sea line in the lar swelling occurs in the neck, arm-pit or groin, hard and acutely tender. supervenes, and death occurs in 48 hours from the onset or sooner. Cases lingering on for 6 days are regarded as hopeful, although relapses are liable to occur. In few cases vomiting of blood is noted; in others apota on the body but no character istic eruption. The epidemic at the outset was limited in its spread but very fatal relatives of the deceased said that two our of every three attacked, died-a calcula-

tion correborated by the native doctor in charge of a hospital near the North Gate much milder course, and from 50 per cent or has broken out in saveral quarters of the that explanation, I am forced to the conmore were said to recover. Since then it city and also in Honam, and latterly the mortality has been great, although doubt greatly exaggerated. both to the laity and the native doctors is strange one, and they consequently are in great dread of it. It does not seem to be very contagious, but chiefly attacks those living under the same insanitary conditions as the affected. It is quite impossible to estimate the mortality as no reliable figure are available. Nightly processions, accompanied by much noise and burning of gunpowder, are being held to drive out the peat, while pedestrians near the affected neighbourhoods may be seen helding certain perfumes to their noses to counteract

the evil influences. The disease is evidently the one knows as the bubonic plague, described by Baber, Rocher, Bourne and other travellers in Western China, and also by Dr Lowry in Pakhoi where a severe epidemia occurred in 1882. As a rule several of the lower animals are affected before man; here i Canton numbers of dead rate were found the beginning of the spidemic, but latterly those rodents have disappeared. The disease Regiment was drawn up on Pedder's Wharf is closely allied to, if not identical with, the great plague of London which proved so

FRESHET IN THE HAN RIVER.

(Shanghai Mercury Correspondent.) Hankow, 21st April, 1894 caused last night at Hanyang through a branch will be very considerably reduced. freshet, which seems to have come quite up- | With regard to the Directors there are expectedly, and proved to be one of the seven. most distatrous ones that has happened for years. The water has been exceptionally low for some time, and, although the ourrent was fairly strong yesterday, no danger was apprehended. About midnight, however, an enormous velume of water came than five. In appointing Directors, it down the Han, carrying with it godoubted proofs of the destruction which it must have caused on its way-broken furniture, the Board of influence considerable in planks, beams, wreckage, etc. The water | fluence. I may say -and that is one reason is said to have risen more than six why you find seven Directors instead of duly sworn in by His Honour the Acting feet in about an hour, and very few of the five. If no other shareholder has any Chief Justice in the presence of the Execu- junks, of which thousands are moored right | remarks to make I will put the first resoluin the mouth of the Han, were able to stand ! tion :the strain. Most of them broke loos, crash- That the Directors Report and Accounts, ing into each other and drifting on the top | as now presented, be adopted and passed. His Excellency the Officer Administering of those that had managed to weather the shock. The crashing of planks and beams | resolution was carried unanimously. right and left, the yelling of the boatmen, be mixed with the ories of those whose craft were wrecked, who were struggling in the ! water, and who were being crushed between the duties of his office of Registrar General, the wreckage and disabled junks, combined for | during the absence of the Colonial Secretary | to render the scene one of the most indescribable turmoil and confusion. Most of these, carried along by the flood, were driven through the narrow channel into the Yangtre, bearing with them further destruction. During the whole of the night distres. sing shouts and cries were heard from the crews of disabled junks, as they drifted past the Hankow concession, and up to the afternoon wrockage was drifting down the river. Altogether, it is believed that some 600 to year, subject to final audit. The Directors 600 junks of various sizes have been totally will recommend a dividend of ten per cent. wrecked, whilst those that are more or less The loss of life is roughly estimated at a hundred, but, of course, this figure may have to be sitered considerably, as it is quite impossible to ascertain the true numher before the excitement has ceased and everybody settled down quietly.

THE NORTH-OHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LD.

The second ordinary general meeting of at the offices of the company, Shanghai, on the 24th inst. Mr E. H. Lavers, (Chairman) presided.

The Chairman said - When we isst met, ventured to predict that better times were in store for the company, and I am sure will be an agreeable to you as it is to the Directors, to find that our expectations of the nest year's working have been fairly toolised. The mremium income shows an increase of about Tis. :30,000; ever is not only satisfactory in itself, but I trust we may reasonably look upon it as an encouraging sign of increasing confidence. The ordinary figures of the accounts are clearly stated in the usual manner, and do not seem to require any particular explana-Topics of the Week' in the Free Press) see tion, but it may occur to some of you the finger of retributive justice in the that the working expenses appear heavy establishment of the Perak Pioneer. The You will, however, notice that the chie costs of reconstruction have been included. at the journalist, and made an after-dinner and some additional expense the been in-audience mirthful with bitterly playful curred in effecting a re-arrangement of the sallies at the wickedness of the news London staff. These are, of course, extra charges, but in other directions aubstantial was given that fire had broken out in an writer. He spoke as one sternally beyond reductions have been made, the result of of the current year. The tael amount of the dividends we have recommended is conaderably increased by the prevailing low rates of exchange. The total is, approximately. The. 180,000 .- Tis. 87,000 for the share dividend, and Tis. 93,000 for the 15 per cent. bonus. With regard to the sum f Tle., 10,000 which is proposed to be saide to an investment fluctus an account, may explain that owing cheffy to the depression of Colonial econsites, there was a depreciation of £2.400, on London investments, as valued at the quotations ruling on the 31st December last. Since that date, however. I am glad to say there has been some improvement in prices, and while the above amount is now reduced to £1,400, it is probable the stocks in which the company is interested will show a steady re-Still we deem it judicious to make this provision, but I am sure it will be satisfactory to you to know that this is the only way in which the Company has suffered by the late fluencial orisis in Anstralia. (Applause). As stated in the report, the final meeting and winding up of the old company have been arranged in London, but it remains for me to at that our thanks, and those of the archolder The epidemic disease at present prevailgenerally, are due to Mr Davi Brand and ing in Canton was first observed in the last Mr David McLean, for the car and attention they have devoted to the interests of the company, both in their capacities as liquid. store and members of the London Committee. If there is any further information can give in reference to the Report and Accounts. I shall be happy to do so to the

best of my ability before formally moving Mr G. Butler - There are one or two items on which I wish to say a few words, and promise you I will not detain you very long. was under the impression that in natural course of events the expenses at the head office would largely exceed any of the branch offices, and I find this idea of mine confirmed when I see that the expenses of the establishments at Yokobama, at Hongkong, and Singapore at a competatively tri-

But when I compare the expenses of

the head office here with those in London must confess to a feeling of perplexity. see that the head office charges here amount to Tls. 34,000, whilst those in London amount to no less a figure than over Tis By the middle of April the disease ran a 59,000. Doubtless you can give us some it with very much pleasure, but pending ing have arrived at the same conclusion, too that the expenses in London are largely in excess of what they should be. It is no for me to offer any suggestion as to the method of curtailing those expenses, but speaking regarding the figures I see before me. I simply say I think they call for the very fullest and most detailed explanation. There is one other item upon which I should like to make a remark. I see the Directors and Auditors' fees are Tls. 6.400. I assume the two Auditors receive Tls. 400 and six Directors Tls. 1.000 each. You have here a competent Secretary who is well paid. and he is well worth all his remuneration. but with this well paid and able Secretary I fail to see the utility of having six Directors. I de not wish for one moment to dispute their personal ability in any way, but auggest that the Board of Directors should be reduced to not more than four and that their remuneration should not exceed Tls. instead of Tis. 1.000. I believe mvself that the company here present would

themselves would think they were amply paid at the figure I have mentioned. The Chairman-In reply to your first question, with reference to the London charges I would observe that, of course. as you know perfectly well, the low rates of exchange have added very considerably to the cost of working the Lendon branch. As I remarked to you just now in my Considerable loss of life and property was speech, next year's expense of the Liondon

Mr Builor-I thought there were only

by the Articles of Association the Board is not to exceed nine or to be has been the view of those who have been on the Board to get men to serve on

The Chairman-I beg to propose the

second resolution :--That the following interim distribution o profits for the year 1893 be now declared : paid-up capital; of bonus of 15 per cent. on contributory premis : Tis 10,000 to an Investment Fluctuation Account... Mr. W. Brand seconded, and the resolution was agreed to nem. con.

will be issued to-morrow at exchange 2s. 10ed. I beg to propose the third resolu-That the Directors be, and are hereby, authorised to close up the accounts of year 1894 as mon as it is found expedient to do so, and that the belance of profit (if any) be carried to the Reserve Fund.

Mr A. McLeod seconded. The resolu-

tion was carried unanimously. Mr J. M. Young-I have much pleasure in proposing :-- ... That Messra. Brand, Hearn, Holliday Lavors, Little, McLeod, and Welch, be re-

TIE. 8.000. Mr U. M. Dvcs seconded.

That the number of Directors be reduced to not over five, and that their remunera-

wide, consequently I have no one to second it, and if it falls to the ground I cannot

Mr Nils Möller-I will second it, and I about the heavy charges in the London Yangize treaty ports, as a permanent river | the city arging that the Government con branch. Several years ago I made remarks fleet would thus be secured to them in promptly with the currency question, Light about the same thing and then I was told spite of contending floats on the poast; in Rosebery writes that the subject is establed by the Chairman that everything was very which the river boats would be in no way ing the attention of the Cabinet. Min done very well. I consider it my daty to this comfortable feeling is, of course, a resolution on internal himstallism. having said that those expenses were oun deal; but the presence of the Esk as a beavy owing to the low rates of exchange, | permanent institution, and the rumour that | given yesterday by Fritz and Louis Assbut exchange was considerably higher then. The Chairman-You asked for some her steering gear, etc., raised, and be gene- tion, who came from all parts of flaurest teme of the London charges. Mr Butler : well, I can tell you the salaries amounted seems to point to their recognition of a the remains of Rosenthy Herr. Mearns

Mr Butler That is the principal item, think, upon which a reform is essential. The Chairman-And that reform is being effected by the Directors, as I stated. Mr. Builer-But that has been going on

for years and years. The Chairman-It is not so easy to re-

to keep an efficient staff. the efficiency is not too well personally, believe you could get quite as great efficiency at a very much less cost. and, speaking personally, I think one of your amployees in London is and has been, largely over valued.

The Chairman That has already had the consideration of the Board, and be remedied, and it will be shown in next year's accounts. Mr Butler-I am very glad to hear it.

The Chairman-Rent is £1,600 and Committee fees £400, say, altogether £10,000. The amendment was put to the meeting and lost, the proposer and seconder only voting for it. The resolution was then put and carried nem, con.

The Chairman ... That finishes the business of the meeting. Mr R. Francis-I think I shall be voicing the opinion of this meeting if propose a vote of thanks to the Chairman and staff for the work of the past year. have seen the Directors' Report and Accounts with very much pleasure. It looks to me as if we have now entered upon the turning-point of the company. some years we were in a very bad way indeed. Four years ago our premis sulted in a heavy deficiency, that is to se promia were almost entirely absorbed Last year, owing to the amended state of things, we had a much better report, although the premia were only about half what they were before. This half year. I am glad to say, that whilst the same class of business has been taken there is an improvement in it. We have a full dividend, and I think there is every likelihood we shall go on in that way. The losses now, instead of being nearly 100 per cent., as compared with the promis, are 50 per cent., and the charges are 23 per cont, and I have no doubt from what you have said we may expect these to be considerably reduced in the future. The resolution was carried by acciama-

The Chairman On behalf of my colleagges and myself I beg to thank you for the compliment you have paid us, and I am quite sure that the opinions you have expressed to-day are highly appreciated by the Directors, and I can only assure you that our best endeavours will be used to reduce the charges generally and to make our business as safe as it can be under all circumstances, the competition being very

Mr A. Ross-On behalf of the staff. beg to thank you for the kind way in which you have alluded to their services during the past year, and I hope that when we meet next year we shall be able to give an even better account

The proceedings then terminated.

THE BRITISH FLEET IN CHINA

The recent vigorous agitation in England Rica, in the province of Seville. by an adequate fleet, in view of possible | the mob by issuing 3000 bread tickets. . A and even probable combinations against it, mob of 2000 people at Tarifa went to the has not, perhaps, commanded either the Town Hell and demanded work sin a most attention or sympathy from the overseas threatening manner. The authorities in men' who dwell in China, that, on close | the districts where distress is most to investigation, it would seem to merit. True it is that an foverseas' man must, relieve the sufferers. perience, be more or less an Imperialist. be he Radical or Conservative: and the which such Imperialism alone can rest cannot be altogether a matter of indiffer- Sultan of Burnu at the head of a large bear me out. I believe even the Directors | ence, even if it does not awaken a lively army. Both sides sustained heavy losses, interest in him.

in analyzing our fleets on foreign stations.

that the British flest in China needed to be strengthened by a second-class battleship in lieu of the Victor Emanuel at Hongkone and that the Firebrand and Linnet should be replaced by two modern gunboats. But in view of the reported contemplated strengthening of the Bussian fleet the Pacific, and the understanding allianco between France and Russia together with its eventual possibilities. such an improvement is inadequate. Eurland's commercial interests have increased so enormously of late years in China that Hongkong now stands among the first six great commercial ports of the The China station has therefore become of much greater naval importance than formerly, and, in view of possible combinations against us, second only to the Mediterranean. Our best interests in the East require that the bottoms in which our wealth is cassied to and fro should be adequately protected and left free and unmolested, by enemies cruisers, to pursue their avocation of money-making, no matter tention it is necessary that the British fleet should be strong enough to chase the burg-Strelitz, the Czarowitz, the Prince of enemy into port and keep him there, without withdrawing necessary patrols from bruising along the trade routes to deal with Interest at the rate of 10 per cent upon the | single ornicers who might escape, and who, if left long free, would play the mischief treaty negotiations, fixing the teriff on as soon as possible, among our rich merchandise that is con- imported tyo at 1 florin 50 brentzers, has Mr Redmond concluded his remarks b stantly passing along these routes. At pre- been accomplished by the direct interven, saying the alectorate of Clase diseases. sent the Russians and French have eleven ition of the Char. ships of over 1,000 tons on the China The Chairman-The dividend warrants Station. England, also, has eleven, counting the Wivern at Hongkong. In smaller in bringing about the Anstro-Russian returned to the House of Commune vessels, though not no numerous, the commercial treaty affords enbatantial evi- would tell Bir William Version Ha English gunboats have the advantage in dence of the pacific tendency of the Em- that the latter intended to kill John Dell' tons, guns and speed. Advantage in lone perov of Russia. The correspondent thinks in fall, and if the registration bull present and guns also les with England in the the treaty will be followed by a political the evicted tenants bill he would advise the beavier vessels; but the advantage is at antente, leading, if bot to disarmament, evicted tanants to return to their homes

present in no way commensurate with the certainly to the definite tompension of and stop there. overwhelming interest of England, within military preparations. A better feeling | A resolution was a flored by the Mayor the limits of the Station, so compared with between Italy and France has been dis- of Cork declaring that the Covernment the interest of France and Russia combined. creekly encouraged from Vienna and Berlin, had forfaited all claims to the convince with a good and roomy second-class battle- part of the three imperial Powers and early dissolution of Parliament. (The ship, with moderate speed, to be stationed at Italy.

A THE MALE COmpetition—double champion. A HARROW native letter states (says the water is all rushing letter states (says) the water is all rushing or some other first-class trainer, the siddition of a second-class cruiser of Mr Butler-I shall feel it incumbent Apollo class; the replacing of the Caroline upon myself to propose an amendment to by a modern exciser and a thorough weeding of the gunboets, the old ones being tresty. cast for river service, or broken up, and replaced by new. River and sea gunboate tion should not exceed Tis. 500 each per should be absolutely different; their func- clased Chambers of Agriculture to the tions are of a totally different nature. Half | cided to immediately represent to a dozen obsolete Bek's that are rotting in Government the argent importance of the English dookyards might be utilised with currency question, and also to sell the advantage on the Chinese rivers. The Royal Agricultural Commission to insti advantage of such a remodelling of the lute special inquiries into the bearing of British fleet in China, to the foreigners, the currency question on agriculture. take the liberty of making a few remarks must be obvious, especially to those at the Replying to a letter from a gentleman in ear in London. That was the only answer litted to take part. Whether the British | Smith has toeured May lat for the disgot, and that everything in London was Government would be prepared to foster cussion by the House of Comment would be

> strong claim for permanent protection of the Jokai, who was present, was the recipions life and property of foreigners on the of a remarkable ovation. Herr John de-Yaugize; and that in such service old craft, livered the funeral oration at the Mational though no longer serviceable as sea-going Museum yesterday on belialf of the lower ships, are fully capable of performing all House of the Hungarian Diet, and his the functions of police duties on China's language was remarkable for its impassioned great river. This seems also to be acknow- sloquence. The most flattering comment on ledged by the Americans, in the case of the the speech is everywhere heard in Husduce things all of a sudden. You require Monocacy. In fact a Yangtze fleet seems garian circles, and the members of the deputalready in the process of formation, and in tations took the opportunity to thear, him Mr Butler—But the question is whether the event of immediate hostilities we may for his masterful expression of the actional spect to see the battleship Esk with the sentiment. Fifteen hundred ledies of first class cruiser Monocacy thrown out to attired in the deepest mountain were incruise shead, and the second-class cruiser cluded among the attendants at the second-Firebrand dropped for a like object astern tion. Their enthusiasm over the closuses cruising up and down the Yangtze river, of Herr Jokai took a more practical fore bringing Viceroys, Governors and Taotais, than did that of the men. They emissish up to the scratch, and looking after the pro- Herr Jokai and kissed this separatelly perties of foreigners of all nationalities. in- The scene was a most remarkable one cluding the belligerents. Whether this is Herr Jokai received the preises of his so or not, one thing—to be serious—is cer. admirers in a modest, manner, but

tain ; that a war in which England. France | finally compelled to retire beneath the kless and Russia were concerned, would at present | showered upon him. leave foreigners in Ohina-out of Shanghai -in an unenvisble position: and a position. perhaps, whose results, owing to that great matter always appearing in the dim and distant future, have not been sufficiently contemplated by those whom it most con-

corns. - N.-C. Daily Nows.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL

PRIZES FOR TACKT REGATTAR. London, April L .- A special to the Standand from Nice says: At a dinner given on Saturday by Baron Rothschild. James Gordon Bennett announced that he would give three prizes to be compeled for in next year's yachting regattas. Each prize will be worth £1000. Baron de Rothschild then promised that he would give three prizes of £800 each for the same events.

RELATIONS OF MUSELA AND AUSTRIA. Vienna, April 1 .- An imperial decree has been issued announcing that henceforth Austria and Russia will accord each other the most-favored nation treat-

LONDON STOCK MARKET. London, April 1. - The past week was another one of stringency in the money mar-Brokers in some instances obliged to borrow outside about the bank rate, but the worst pinch is now thought to be over, and there is a continued influx

Silver was firm, owing to the short supplies with which to meet the Chinese demand. After the holidays, business at the Stock Exchange was resumed with more perial Parliament, to establish a Legislature

curities was fine throughout, except for that nobody would say that the House of the temporary set-back following the veto Commons was so congested that a new and of the seigniorage bill which led to the bold departure was necessary. promised boom in American breweries was grand committee to deal with Souttish affairs. not nipped in the bud by a collapse in the shares of the St. Louis brewery companies. tish members of the flouse had voted for Grand Trunk and other Canadian accurities home rule for Scotland. They entertained were better on the prospect of a modified

STARVATION IN SPAIN. --- ACUTE DISTRESS IN that was impossible under existing condi-Madrid. April 2 .- The distress in the province of Andalusia is acute. At San Lucan a mob of people out of work pillaged the bakeries. Riots have occurred at El e the maintenance of her naval supremacy i municipal authorities of the place appeared severely felt are doing their utmost

FIGHTING IN THE SOUDAN. Tripoli, April 2.—Pabah, a former alave of Zobehr Pasha, with an army numbering 30,000 invaded the kingdom of Burnu Central Souden, and was opposed by the and the Sultan of Burnn and Pabah were A correspondent of one of the Service killed, fighting desperately at the head of papers, in England, recently pointed out, their troops.

THE TENNANT-ASQUITH NUPTIALS. London, April 3. - The Times says that the marriage of Miss Margot Tennant and Herbert Asquith, the Home Secretary, has been fixed to take place May 10th.

DATE OF THE BOYAL WEDDING. London, April 3,-The royal wedding at 19th, but as the date has already be yet smither alteration. It has been found difficult to choose a day to suit both the Queen and the German Emperor. beluding the order of various processions from the state rooms of the Bellion to the chapel, was dispatched last week from Coburg to Florence, in order that the Queen might inspect it, and Her Majesty will no doubt make several alterations in the programme. The ceremony is at 12 o'clock. In the afternoon the couple will drive in a carriage and four to Boscinst. The the Emperor William, the King of Sexony the King of Wurtemberg, the Grand Duke of Baden, the Grand Duke of Meck len-

THE AUSTRO-RUSSIAN TREATY. Vienna, April 8,-The successful termina tion of the Austro-Russian commercial methods and resolution come to the from

Times from Vicana says: The Cuar's step | the Irish political prisoners, and When he To perform its functions adequately the and there is no longer reason to doubt in frienden, and calling spon the Irish British fleet in Ohine abould be reinfered | there is a strong desire for peace upon the members of Parliament to sure is a strong desire for peace upon the members of Parliament to sure is a

Potersburg says it is officially somewheat that the Government has decided to strait to Austro-Hungary the Benezits of the Russo-German commercial Aresty sending the conclusion of the Austro-Massian

BIMBTALLISM IN REGLETO. London, April 3.—The Cantral Asso-

financial consideration with which they alone SINGULAR DEMONSTRATION AT BUDA SESTE Buda Pesih, April 3.-At a reception the Firebrand will be recommissioned, have suth to many members of the deputarally fitted for special service on the Yangtze, to attend the funeral services hald even

Maurus Jokai is a many-sided weelus He is post, orator, novelist, intens patriot. He is best known by his sowis which he has preduced by the store wright, Lope de Vega. Last Pebruary his literary jubiles was celebrated. . He was born sixty-nine years ago, the younger ton of a Magyar country squire. He came forward at an early age as one of the literary champions of Hungarian treedom. He sook a rather prominent part in the fluorering war of independence in 1848, and narrowly escaped with his life. Subsequently he was pardoned and allowed to resume his literary and journalistic carses in Peath, but he was more than once imprisoned for his outspoken

denunciations of the Vienness camarilla. He has written plays, cassys and newspaper articles, and more particularly an engrapous number of novels illustrating almost every phase of Hungarian life. Jokal's stories are of very unequal merit, but the best of them are written with extraordinary varve. humor and dramatic bower, and are inmenerly popular not only in liuncar where the author is idelized, but slee He has produced altogether the astonishing number of 160 books, of which wenty-five are romanees of satural volumes each. He has written \$20 short stories and six dramas. His stories have had an enermous circulation in Hungary, and several have been widely translated.

HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND. London, April 3.—In the House of Uom mons James Henry Daiziel made a motion that it was desirable that, while retaining intact the power and supremary of the infor Scotland to deal with purely Scotlink The market for American railway so- affairs. In speaking of his motion he said

The Government's proposal to appoint a was only a temporary expedient. The Sectno anti-English feeling, their sole object being to procure for Spotland legislation tions. The House adopted the motion by

PUBLIC WORES FOR THE UNEMPLOYED Madrid. April 3. -- The Government has provinces of Cadiz. Granada and Andainsis for the relief of the thousands of wastmeti now unemployed.

FUTERE OF INELLED. Dublin, April 3.-- The convention of the Irish Independent party, more essention snown as the Parnellite party, was called to order to-day in the rotunds. Among those present were the Lord Mayor Dublin, the Mayor of Cork, John Clancy, M.P., and others.

During the day's assisten a distantal was received from the president of the little Independents of New York at follows: The Irish Independent party of Real York sends greeting and winner you godspeed in your fight for Itish liberty and it Irish Parliament. Draw on our treasurer John Brennan, at Bank of Ireland. Dublin for \$5000.

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H. G. BANNON, Secretary. mossage of sympathy was received from the Irish Independents of Oricano. John Redmond, in an address, said the vituation was so changed that the L fell they could not coutinus to bear al the Irish Independent party, and the decided to call the present meeting. Fifteen vests of labor. Macrifide and milesion endangered. The cause of Ireland confronted almost by rain license name of anti-Parnellites, were size animoratent to the English and intered the cause of the people they represented their petty disputes. The speaker then stated at would be sh

mone to the Unionists to the date micked that he believed in it when it was conducted by fearless them, but if this class of agitation was allowed to sink into farce and a shaw, as it had in the hands of the anti-Parnellites, then it was hetter that

London, April 3.-A dispatch to the mont, as the latter, had refused to release

resolutions were carried with loud cheers

6 From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

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at 1 p.m. Sca & Yokohama) Gaelic (via Nagasaki, Tuesday, July 3, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) ...

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Groom Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked &, near the Kowloong shore &, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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eacock	guraboat Int class	750	6	1200	Lieut. Commander Laxton	Singapore
igmy	guriboat lat class	755	G	1200	LieutCom. Phillips	Foochow
lover	gumboat lat class	755	6	1200	Hon. LtCom. F. C. B. Addington	Shanghai
erpoise	crainer 3rd class	1770	6	2500	The state of the s	Shanghai
attler	guraboat 1st class	715	6	1200	Lieut Cem. Hugh Cotesworth	Hongkong
edpole	gumboat let class	805	6	1200	Lient, Com. O. G. May	Nagamiri
evern	orniser 2nd class	4050	12	6020	Captain Henderson	On a cruise
wift	gum-vessel 2nd class	756	ъ Б	1010.	Commander R. K. McAlpins	AMOY
wood	g-bt. 3rd class coast defeace	363	7.8	340		Hongkong
ictor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	-14	garagenates i	Commodore Boyes	Hongkong
Vivern	coast defenceship, armoured	2750	1. 海点 用 医原	1450		Hongkong

Torpedo Boats in Reserve Nos. 8, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats.

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral the Hon. E. Fremautle, K.C.B., C.M.G.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

And the subject of th Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	<i>H.</i> P.	Captain.	Where at.
Admiral Korniloff	Russian cruiser	5000	1.600	. (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1)	Uaptain Kiltobanittofi	Naganakii
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian ironclad	7781	10.50	77. T. (1)	Captain Lavroff	Yokohama
Alcout	Reusian gunboat	800	1. 	1 8 1 . I	Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
Alert	U. S. corvette	.1020	. 6	Cort Tra	Captain Durand	Shangini
Aspic	French gunbost	470		450	Commander Journels Captain W. R. Bridgman	Kinkiang Shasghai
Baltimore	U. S. cruiser	4600 462	F 16 5 5		Captain H. Usrvallices Athayde	Macso
Bengo	Portuguese gunboat	500	1000		Capt. Dartige du Fournet	Yokohama
Comète	French gunboat	1700	Part Land		Captain Goodrich	Tokohama
Concord	Portuguese gunboat	706			Captain Gomes	Macao
Dia	Spanish croiser	1159			Capt. D. Jose Padimso	Shanghal
D. Juan de Austria Forfait	French orniser	2200	1 3 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1		Captain Recloux	* Yokobana
Iltis	German gunboat	489	4.	330	Captain Bandissin	Amoy
Inconstant	French gunboat	800		15 t 10 to 1	Capt Grapier	
Kaiserin Elizabeth	Austrian critiser	4500		*4. Y/10-	Captain A. B. v. Becker	Singappre
Koreyetz	Russian man-of-war	1200		\$ 0 m \$2.5 \cdot 6	Captain Ph. Filisant	Vadivotook
Lancaster	U. S. cruiser	2120		1. 1. 1008	Capt McCormack	Bingapore
Lion	· French gunboat	460		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Lieutenant Papair	- Shenghei
Latin	French gunboat	485	4	\$25	Captain Nany	Bangkok
Marion	U. S. octvette	1900	1246	1170	Commander Gridley	Yokokama
Mandjour	Russian cruiser	1700		7	Captain V. Brandi	Hankow
Monocacy	U. B. Bloop	1370	100	. 1470.	LieutCem. Empy	Elangha.
Potrel	U. S. gunboat	884	: J. / 155 / 1.		LtCom. J. H. Deighton	Shangbel
Pluvier	French gunboat	. 540	All Commences	420	Lieux Commander Lanied	Halpkrout
Reina Cristina	Spanish cruiser	3000	1 2 7	Tank.	Captain Valers	Manila
Rynda	Russian cruiser	3000	-	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , 	Commander Rimak Korsakoff	Houghoug
Triomphante	French cruiser	4500			Capt. Bore de Brétizel	
Ullos	Spanish cruises	1130	1 2 2 4	1600 4		Klom Dock
Valasco	Spanish gunboat	1000	1	ero a	Captain Perpandes	
Villara	Proved oraiser	2400	15	650	Commander Combolls	
Vipere	French gunbost	260		63 5	· 图:	
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